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Purpose of Forum

- Share Information & Concerns
- Collect ideas and suggestions
- Improve practices and relationships
- Big Picture Improve project safety
- We're here to listen!
- You're here to talk!

Overview of Past Forums



- 2001 Forums
- 2002 Forums
- 2003 cancelled, travel restrictions



- Committee of Industry/OSC Managers
- Survey sent out
- Four workshops developed from the popular response areas

2001 Workshops



- Falsework practices
- Flyash/ bridge deck cracking
- Training OSC staff
- Support/ Authority of OSC staff
- Open floor discussion



2001 Action Items

- Falsework Practices
 - F/W Academy training
- Preapproved Standard F/W details
 - Letter with process sent outSee website for copy
- F/W Welding Spec. Change
 - New spec. for demands > 1000# per eighth in.
 requires F/W engineer to specify welding code



2001 Action Items

- Flyash/ Bridge Deck Cracking
 - Improve distribution of flyash knowledge
 - METS outreaches with Industry
 - Translab tour
 - Specific flyash web page
 - Validate if ASR truly a problem
 - METS report available
 - Std. Spec. Changes
 - Eliminate method specs for curing



2001 Action Items

- Training OSC Staff
 - Improve Contractor/State working relationship
 - OSC committed to Partnering and Forums
 - Inexperienced staff
 - Senior Specialist positions
 - On-line training Modules



2002 Forums Topics

- Innovations for Job Acceleration
- Quality Control & Quality Assurance
- Welding
- Bridge Surveying



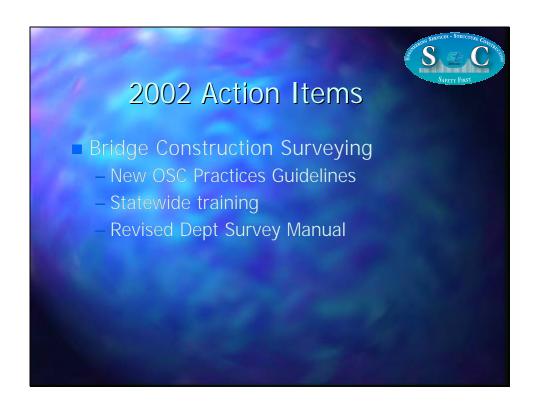
2002 Action Items

- Innovations for Acceleration
 - Design for acceleration
 - CRIP spec revisions (change to str type)
 - Delayed notice to proceed (60 days)
 - Pre-approved shoring plans (RR approval)
- OC/OA
 - Certified labs list
 - More QC provisions in specs.



2002 Action Items

- Welding
 - Revised Welding specs.
 - Testing frequency of ult butt splices
 - Deleted multiple copies of welding codes
 - WQCP Templates
 - Welding training







- Design Criteria for Sand Jacks
 - UC San Diego, report due by 12/05
- Investigation of Flange Failures
 - Failures in F/W cap and sill beamsEccentric loading from posts
 - Use of wood blocking as stiffeners
 - Univ of Reno, report due by 2/06

2005 California Bridge Construction Forum



- Remember:
 - OSC is here to listen
 - You are here to talk!!!
- Questions?